

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20857

Honorable Tom Bevill House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515 JUN 09 1977

Dear Mr. Bevill:

Thank you for your May 25 inquiry on behalf of Robert F. Collier, concerning our announced intention to reduce the number and quantity of certain antibiotics which are used in animal feeds.

For your information we enclose a report on the subject. We believe the enclosed document will be responsive to the issue raised by your constituent.

If we can be of further assistance, please let us know.

Sincerely yours,

Robert C. Wetherell, Jr., Director Office of Legislative Services

2 Enclosures

cc: HFC-20 (2) (w/cy inc)

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